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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Filed: 06/12/2006
For: Tamper Evident Closure for Containers
Art Unit: 3781
Examiner: Hicks, Robert J.

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

This communication is in response to a restriction/election requirement with a mail date of July 22, 2008, in which the Examiner designated the following groups and requires restriction to one of said groups:

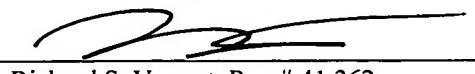
- Group I: claims 1-4 and 9, drawn to a method of manufacturing a cap;
Group II: claims 5-7, drawn to a tamper-evident cap with a tear strip;
Group III: claim 8, drawn to a tool to manufacture a tamper-evident cap.

Applicant elects without traverse to prosecute Group II identified in claims 5-7, drawn to a tamper-evident cap with a tear strip.

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